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New York, New York

Osamu CHIKAGAWA, et al.

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For: INSULATIVE CERAMIC COMPACT

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Washington, D.C. 20231

SUBMISSION

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a copy of a search report issued by a patent searching authority other than the PTO and the cited art together with a form listing the same for the convenience of the Examiner.

I certify that each item of information contained in this Submission was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than 3 months prior to the filing of this Submission.

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RESPONSE

In response to the Notice Under 37 CFR 1.251-Pending Application mailed September 18, 2002, attached hereto is a copy of the undersigned's record of all of the correspondence between the Office and applicants in the above-identified application except for U.S. patent document.

The copy submitted with this reply is a complete and accurate of applicants' record of all of the correspondence between the Office and the applicants for the above identified application (except for U.S. patent documents) and applicants are not aware of any correspondence between the Office and the applicants for the above-identified application that is not among applicants' records.

The Notice included a print out from PALM of the contents of the file of the above-identified application. Please note that there are **significant differences** between the PALM report and the undersigned's file. In particular,

(1) PALM shows IDS on January 2, 2002 while the undersigned's file shows this was mailed to the PTO on November 30, 2001, although the date discrepancy may be the result of postal irregularities due to 9/11;


(2) PALM information shows a response to the March 11, 2002 Office Action being received on April 15, 2002 whereas the undersigned's return receipt postcard indicates a receipt date of April 11, 2002;

(3) The notice of publication mailed March 7, 2002 is not reflected on PALM;

(4) the status inquiry and change of correspondence address filed on August 17, 2002 are not reflected in the PALM printout; and

(5) the PALM printout shows a correspondence address change on August 30, 2001 while the undersigned's records do not reflect any such submission.

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STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the attorney named below be advised of the status of the above-identified application. Please advise us of when we might expect to receive an Office Action from the Patent and Trademark Office.

Dated: August 16, 2002

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